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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 12

Part B for October 1902

SUBJECT.

praying for the relief of certain Medical & Educational Charges of the Priests

12

Countermarked DR 11/11/26

WD 1888—GPB—16,626—23-7-21

Munl. 90-1900

Submitted to the 2nd Commissioner

With reference to the slip within, I beg to state that the Bangalore City Municipal Commissioners' proposals to be relieved of certain Medical and Educational charges was received in the Office only 2 days ago, and the Local Boards Branch is putting up references for submission to the Commissioner.

27/10/00

28.10.00
486

30/10/00

Where are these papers. Please send them if they have come. Thos
31/10/00

K. Mond
Orig 3

Rcvd. 90-190

St. Martin's Hospl. file
Part I at No. 4
* Govt. file 343-92

No. 74
in L. F 225 of 92 & El 343 of 92
& No. 74 in Part I

Memo re the
Relief applied for by the T. C.

The municipal grant-in-aid of Rs 200 p.m. to the St. Martin's Hospital was made from January 1886, the provision therefor having been made in the Budget of the Bangalore City municipality for 1885-86.

This grant in aid was intended to be continued even after the completion of the Government Hospital building (Vide para 6 of Pro Compl. No. 228-32 of 26/11/92)

(2) In para 2 of the Pro dated 27th September 1900, the Board resolved to request the Government to relieve them of certain charges, including the monthly grant of Rs 200 now being made

to the St. Chanthas Hospital

in view to enable them

to ~~pay~~ pay interest on

a loan of 2 00,000 Rs to be

raised for the sewage

drainage and other necessary

works of the City. The

President supports the

Board's proposal in his

letter etc 62 of 15/10/00. (Vide in L.F. 10 of 98)

(3) It is submitted

that ~~the~~ of the charges

~~from~~ which the Board

seeks relief ~~from~~ as noted in

the margin, items (1) and (2)

amounting to Rs 18,692 as against Rs ~~10,608~~ 10,608 in 1883

were those transferred

to the Municipality in

lieu of Police charges

which were ordered to

be debited to Provincial

Rs as in Proc etc 919-22 of 67 (Spare copy printed)

26/5/83.

(4) There were hitherto

4 Dispensaries in the Bangalore Item 3.

(1) Educational charges 12,026 (Previous H. 7 62)

(2) Maternity charges 666

(3) 2/3 cost of other Dispensaries as in the case of the Arlapete Dispensary } 2819

(4) Monthly grant-in-aid of Rs 200 to St. Chanthas Hospital } 240

~~23 64~~

23,911

City and it is proposed to established three more so that there may be one Despensary for each Division. 1/3 cost of the existing Despensaries at Ulsoor is met from municipal funds, the remaining 2/3 being met from the D. F, while in the case of the remaining Despensaries, the entire cost is met from municipal funds. The Board's present request is that 2/3 cost of these 3 Despensaries also may be debited to D. F. This requires orders.

Item 4. ~~In~~ With reference to the provision made in the Budget of the Bangalore City municipality, ~~for~~ for the grant-in-aid to ~~for~~ for the St. Martha's Hospital, the President said that it might be considered as

owing, in as much as
the necessity for the
continuance of the grant
no longer exists owing
to the establishment of
new dispensaries and of
the Victoria Hospital and
Eye Infirmary, but the
provision was retained
in the Budget, subject to
the submission of a separate reference
in regard to the
proposed discontinuance
of the allowances and the
final orders of Government
thereon (Vide para 16 of Proc to 4024-30 of 14/9/00) above cobj putup

Accordingly the
President submits the
present reference cto 620 of
15/10/1900

Submitted for orders
with letter Of 17/9/900 from
the Lady Superintendent & Ol file
Proc to 343 of 1892 & L F 225 of 92
obtained from Ol Branch.

Subd to the Offg Dewan
(SR 17)

Yes.

10/11/00

Offg Dy 1/11/1900

1/11/00 3/11/00 547

^ with offg Dewans orders of 20/

Memo (Contd.)

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The draft order was accordingly issued on the 13th Nov. 1900. (Vide Sel 20)

In para 4 of that order the Dy Commissioner was requested to report whether the O.T. Board of the Bangalore circle was willing to bear 2/3 of the charges of all Dispensaries in the City as in the case of the Arlepet Dispensary.

In reply the Dy. Comr. submits the Board's Resolution which runs as follows :-

The Board are of opinion that the District

Pro on 6616-18 / R. 43-98 of 13-11-00 (Sl 20).

Letter No 10780 of 9-1-01

Funds cannot be properly charged with any portion of the cost of maintaining the Municipal Dispensaries in the Bangalore City, and they resolve to request Government to relieve them from the payment of $\frac{2}{3}$ rds of maintaining the Antelepsh Dispensary?

Submitted

Asst 16/1.

Dy 16/1/01

I find that the information Called for from the Senior Surgeon - in the above quoted Pro has not yet been received. Please issue a reminder.

16/1/07.

A.S. Chy Dy 16/1/01

× Attended to 17/1/07

The Senior Surgeon's reply Dy 18-2-01 etc 36-04 since received is put up - The points requiring orders

11 Relief of Educational maternity charges amount 1869-2 A Rs 1842-7

which were transferred to the municipality in lieu of Police charges of which it was relieved in 1883..

The Municipality was relieved of these charges - therefore it is only but fair that they should pay this charge

(2) Relief of 2/3 of cost of Dispensaries as in the case of Avlapete Dispensaries. The E. J Board are not only unwilling to bear the 2/3 cost of these dispensaries but also request that they may be relieved of the 2/3 cost of the dispensary at Avlapete, which is now borne from D. F.

I think the Municipality will find it difficult to claim exemption from this charge

(3) Relief of monthly grant-in-aid of Rs 200 to St: Chrysostom's Hospital The S. S submits a statement (obtained from the Lady Superintendent of St: Chrysostom Hospital) showing the No. of patients treated and the expenditure incurred since January 1893. From this it appears that the In-door & out door patients rose from 1437 and 11675 in 1893-94 to 1891 and 27674 respectively in 1899-1900 and the expenditure from Rs 10000 to

This shows that the Institution has been doing very good work & deserves the continuance of the Municipality

As 21.2.12. In submitting the (D)
statement the Senior Surgeon remarks that "a small increase of 29 patents (in 1899-1900) as compared with those of 1898-99 made a difference of Rs 5469-3-6, ⊕ which to say the least is absurd".

Year	In patents	Cost of Drugs
1898-99.	1862 ..	Rs 6693-12-0
1899-1900..	1891 ..	Rs 12.162-15-6
⊕ Increase	29 ..	Rs 5469-2-6

Submitted for orders
Sd/ J 26/2/08

The file has no list & hence difficult to trace the papers. Kindly where is the file relating to G.O Rs 919-22 dt 26/1.1883 (Vide Sl 25)
Ans.
27/2/07
Resubmitted with list of papers putup for L.F 4398.
(Sl 25 formerly is the present Sl 20)
A spare copy of Proc No 919-22 dt 26/1.1883 is putup, but the Record Dept has not been able to trace the enquiry correspondence connected therewith
Sd/ 7/3/07

Submd to Secy.
Ans.
8/3/07.

On the merits, no case of cancer, there is not much to be said in favour of the Medical Boards advice — Action for reply — Morgan

The District Board
has partly called Division
& bears any portion
of the cost of maintain
ing dispensaries in
the Bangalore city.

The only question
now is whether Government
the ~~Govt~~ hospitals
should not recommend
condition of the passing of Board
the case is not one for
the generosity of Govt.

called for by the Chairman
Board the information
called for by him.

12/3/07

17/3/07

12/3/07

Made my notes
on the margin.

What is being
done about Mysore.

Does the Municipality
pay for North Taluk
also. ?

13/3/07

Put up a note please as to
getting such information
as may now be available
here.

13/3/07

G. K. D. 13/3

P. T. S

Submitted

The Municipality of Mysore bears 1/3 cost (1900) of the Indigenous Hospital at Mysore and 2/3 cost (4591) of H. H. the Maharaja Hospital at an aggregate cost of Rs 5491. In addition to this a sum of Rs 9696 is being paid towards Education charges in the town.

The City of Bangalore bears not only two centres cost of the Maternity (Rs 6866), and ~~the~~ part ~~cost~~ (10,788) of the Epidemic Diseases Hospital but also grant annual to St. Martha's Hospital (Rs 2400), aggregating in all to Rs 19854 ~~20,354~~ for Rs 14,3263 ~~12,963~~ more than the amount paid for similar medical institutions in Mysore. The City municipality pays also Rs for Educational charges amounting to Rs 12,026

Dvj 23/3

Is it advisable that Rep + Propn of the two cities? Yes 23/3/07.

As above Dvj 23/3/07

Rec'd 26/3

To Residents' letter no 151 of 6/3/01 setting forth the grounds on which relief was sought for is also submitted

Rec'd + Inf'n furnished 27/3 Dvj 26/3/01

Subd to Dewan thro' H. Secy. Yes 29/3/07

Subd to Rd/Fr in the first instance 1/4/01

Recd 3/4/07.

Should a considerable deficiency in murder (and) - ing the case which the Board tries to make out. Please verify the figures shown in the Resident's letter of March 01 & enclosure thereto with the City Magistrate's figures for 03 - The Boards figures & some other figures do not tally.

What are the Town Octroi charges now? C.V.

3/4/01.

-- Bangalore. Mysore.

I (a)	Income for 1900 / 1901	1,97,524	1,23,170
(b)	Opening balance	33,443	19,305
(c)	Total / Population	2,30,967	As 1,41,475
II	Population	69,471	68,151

Dvj 27/3/

These are conclusions of charges, & disbursements in the respective towns Annual Budget figures are now enclosed.

Connection query

(1) Please verify figures given in the Presidents letter of 7th March 1901 & compare them with the relief given by the order of 26th May 1883. The Boards figures and our office figures do not tally.

Memo

The figures given in the Presidents letter No 151 dated 6/3/01 have been verified

(2) The cost in 1883-84 of the institutions transferred to the City municipality in ~~1883-84~~ the year as budgetted for, compared with that for the current year is given below:-

Sch. Ref.	Items	1883 84	1900 1901
IX	Charitable Inst Medical (1) Town Hospl Dispensaries	3639	18076 648
	(2) Maternity	1488	6666
	Total Medl	5127	25390
IX	Other charities (1) Orphanages To come for Bombay institutions	1000	600
	(2) Court Charities Trimbakeshwar Palgun Char	764	1707 1000
	(3) Langarkhana	1800	3000
	Total Other charities	3564	6307
X	Education (1) Grants-in-aid to schools	9.120	1428
	(2) Cost of schools	—	10598
		9120	12026
	Grand Total	17811	43.723

(3) The estimated expenditure for 1900-1901 under "VI Registration of Births Deaths" on account of the recently constituted Health Department comes to Rs 14.952 Including the total of the above 2 heads IX Charitable Grants" and X Education, the expenditure

under the ~~Budget~~ heads

now comes to Rs 58.675*, which exceeds the total cost of charges transferred to the municipality in 1883 by Rs 40864.

* Cf Sheet 1 of C.D.L. Committee's Report, Paragraph 6 of Resolution No. 1 dated 1901

58675
17811
40864

(4) To this, the Sub committee erroneously adds Rs ~~12415~~ 7215 as the loss of income under Land revenue, on the ground that it fell from 12,415 in 1883 to 5200 in 1900-1901. The figure, viz Rs 12,415 entered in Proof of 1883 does not represent the annual revenue from endowed lands as the Sub-committee makes it appear, but the total amount which the municipality should have set apart on account of some charitable institution under Chief Com's Pros etc 236 38 of 14 18/4179 for 7 years ending 1882-83. The municipality did not suffer ~~any loss~~ any loss under this head. On the other hand the municipality has been a gainer, in as much as it sets apart nothing towards charitable institutions, but enjoys the whole of it now. Thus the

⊕ For 1876 77 & 1877 78 = Rs 2915-
For 5 years ending 1882 83 at Rs 1900 a year } 9500
Total Rs, 12415

a sum of land revenue as in 1883

amount has ~~thereof~~ to be left out of account

(2) What are the town Police charges now -

(2, The town Police charges as per sanctioned Budget for 1900-1901 comes to Rs 42,662 as per details given below as against Rs 26,578/ in 1883

Establishments	Rs 40,992
Travelling allowance ———	600
Contingencies including secret service	1070
Total	Rs 42,662

The following cash contributions amounting to Rs 8,500. which were ordered to be withheld in Proc no 919-22 67 of 26/5/83 in consideration of the relief of Police charges, have since been renewed and are being paid to the municipality

Rs 3500 from the D.P.W for the maintenance of suburban roads within mil limits

Rs 5000 from Land Revenue on account of cultivated lands within the same limits

The excess outlay which the municipality has to incur

(14)

in connection with the institutions transferred to the city in 1883 will be reduced from Rs 40,864 Rs 32364.

It is also to be taken into account that if the Municipality continued to levy the town Police charges, it will have to provide on that account annually Rs 42662 or Rs 16084 more than it did in 1883.

40864
8500
32364

42662
26578
16084

Submitted for orders.

Dr J 22/4/01

Handed to [illegible] of Accounts & Finance [illegible] Secretary, Legislative Dept. [illegible] Sub Committee [illegible] Please [illegible]

The question [illegible] decided in the [illegible] 1/13/12/99 [illegible]

Ruled to Secty Dr

~~Brought to the Board & required~~

The Board do request to be relieved of certain Charges as noted in para 3 of the Memo, on the ground that the Expenditure has of late increased under each head is untenable as it was their duty & to regulate the Expenditure vide reference to their income.

As the monthly Grant-in-aid of Rs 200/- to St Martha's Hospital was ~~made~~ Sanctioned in lieu of a ~~contribution~~ of Rs 104/- paid by the Municipality for the temporary Govt. Hospital opened in the city, and as this Grant-in-aid was promised & made by the Municipality ~~as~~ from the date St Martha's Hospital was opened

in connection
in the city, it is doubtful
how the Municipality could
now be relieved of the said
charge.

Attention is invited
to the Secretary's (now
2nd Councillor's) remarks
at page 9 of the memo
of 12th March 1901 supra —

JB
18/6/1907

I do not see the possibi-
lity of any loan being
granted. But what I wish
to know is how far the
Govt has committed itself.
Let me see the Papers
bearing on the matter out
of this file.

26/6

Submitted. Please
see Pro etc 9070 of 17-1-01.
L-943-98
L 1494
L 2107
L 1577
L 2103
L 1525
L 1418
Dy 10.7.01

Go to Works
Also other file

JB
12/7

In re relief applied
for by the Bangalore City
Municipality to enable
them to repay Crores

No 171 dt 3.7.95

L.J194.94

20/8/95

Memo

as per personal instructions of III Sec.

Rent 20-1900

The existing loans, which the Bangalore City municipal has to pay to Government come to Rs 1.70.996.

(a) A further loan of Rs 25,946 has to be sanctioned to complete the incomplete work of opening the congested parts of the Bangalore City municipality for which a sum of Rs 99,054 has already been advanced by Govt towards the estimate of Rs 1,25,000.

(b) In addition to this loan for the Ulsapete section of the drainage scheme of Bangalore, for which Govt promises to

to advance funds on condition of repayment within 6 months by raising a loan, which the Board agreed to pay when their finances are in a settled state, has also to be sanctioned Rs 1.22.179.

24/7

2. Including items (a) and (b), the aggregate liability of the municipality amounts to Rs 3,19,121, entailing an annual charge of Rs 23446 on the municipal revenues for the ~~last~~ next 20 years, if the loan is made repayable in 20 years at 4 per cent per annum as laid down in Pro 1

24/7

3. Owing to the embarrassed condition of the municipality,

Municipality, the Board prayed for the relief of Charitable grants and Educational charges amounting to Rs 23 911.

4. The grant now made to the St Marthas Hospital amounting to Rs 400 per mensem may be reduced to Rs 200, and the municipal grant-in-aid, the grant paid from Provincial funds being withdrawn in accordance with the Senior Surgeon's opinion and the charge debited to Provincial funds. This will afford relief to the municipality to the extent of Rs 2400 without throwing additional burden upon state revenues. If in the opinion of the Board the

1. Govt grant-in-aid to the Hospital on 100 for mean
2. " for an eye infirmary } 100—
3. Municipal grant-in-aid — 200— / 400

The Govt grant-in-aid may be continued as at present as the municipality stopped this will afford some relief.

24/7

the members of existing Despensaries, at the rate of one for each ~~Dispensary~~ Division is large and admits of reduction without materially affecting the convenience of the public, the Board may recommend proposals for the abolition of such despensaries as are not absolutely necessary and for the reduction of the offices of registrars as well as their allowances as in the City of Mysore, where only Rs 10 are paid for each registrar instead of Rs 20 in Bangalore. Proposals in regard to the reduction of other items of medical charities will also be considered by Govt.

The educational changes now

The Board may be called upon to recommend proposals,

24/7/37

now met from "Municipal"
funds are a legitimate
charge upon the Municipality.
No relief in this direction
can be granted

If in consideration of the
present unsatisfactory
condition of the municipal
finances and of the
execution of some of the
works without formally
consulting the Board in
the first instance Govt
are prepared to allow
the municipality to pay
a smaller rate of interest
viz 3 per cent and to
liquidate the debt in 25 (30 years)
annual instalment payable
by the municipality will be

Ro

An Arrangement of
20 years will
require to be extended
to 30. as in
Special case.
24/7 [illegible]

24/7

Rs 18327·1 or 16281·5 according
as the no. of years is 25 or
30 for repayment of loans.
After the relief of grant-in-aid (Rs 2400)
to St. Thomas Hospital and
reductions which the Board
may propose under dispensing
the annual instalment
payable by the Municipality
would not be much larger
than the provision of Rs 10000
now made by the Municipality
for repayment of the loan in
the annual Budget.

The working expenses
of the Chamarajendra water
works amounted to Rs 217,859
up to the end of the year
1900-1901 and the estimated
cost for 1901-1902 to Rs 89082.
To meet the cost, the Board
were directed to reserve the
proceeds

proceeds from Water tax Extension of Octroi and Tolls amounting to Rs 56 130 and to submit a revised Budget for 1901-1902. The reduction of Rs 56,130 on account of maintenance cost of water works would result in a deficit of Rs 52,367 as per preliminary Budget for the year But the Chief Engineer wants not less than Rs 72000 from the municipality towards the cost. In the Proceedings of the City municipal Board, they agree to pay Rs 25 or 30 thousand Rupees. The Chief Engineers note which was forwarded to the President with this office Docket No 1746/1902 Dt 30/4/02. does not appear to have been placed before the Board May the President be

The President's Inspection on the Chief Engineers Note is awaited. His Excellency has already directed that the Fund deficit from (1) the expenses of Extension (2) Water rate and (3) tolls should be set apart for maintenance charges. And the orders of 3rd Jan 1905 in 171-2-7-1904-46 appear and the first two items. The omission of the last item will make a difference of about Rs 20,000 in favour of the Municipality. Pending receipt of President's Inspection Note,

A reminder has since been issued

Orders can be awaited, nevertheless I may be asked to submit the

be now asked to do so without further loss of time and, to submit a copy of ~~their~~ Boards resolution. ~~submitted to Govt.~~

It is submitted, that in the City of Mysore, the cost of water works is only Rs 6276 or .043 of the entire revenue or ~~Rs~~ 1.5 per head of population, whereas in the City of Bangalore, where 3 per cent water tax is levied the ~~total cost of the municipal quota~~ municipal quota of the total cost of the water works leaves 34.9 per cent of the gross revenue or Rs 1.03 per head of population. This is enormously high. Either the charges must be reduced or Govt must content themselves by accepting the collections from Octroi & water taxes as laid down in para 21 of Pro. No. ~~4930-42~~ ~~2211-01~~ dt 21.12.01.

With the present water rate of 3 p.c. in Bangalore the enhanced rate in C & M Station is 6 p.c.

[illegible] 26/7

2. Hon. 1910

Re the question of the discontinuance or reduction of the Municipal allowance to the St Maurice Hospital formerly known as Grant-Hall

27-10-2

Sub Ger
Ad
28.10

from Rev. Father Tabaud in regard to the continuance of the grant. in aid

Submitted with Presidents' letter c to 1160/3/11/02 forwarding the Mayor

Please see the Sub-Committee's report received with the President's letter No 22, dated the 4th December 1901 (Cor. No 14 in Section A of the file containing Miss. papers) and also the Senior Surgeon's opinion in serial No 15 of the same Section

The resolution referred to has been adopted by the Board in framing the Budget for the current year. Re

letter submitting the Budget (Letter No 103 dated the 16th October 1902) was submitted to the Secretary with the office note As the Budget, framed in accordance with the Sub-Committee's suggestions, contain matters requiring special order on each item of new suggestion, no definite order has yet issued with regard to grant to Sl. Market.

Submitted for orders with other papers relating to the general finance of the City Municipality.

DJ 10/11/02 (Vide file below)

Subd to 2nd Councillor

JB
12/11/1902

4402
2670

Office of the Municipal Commission,

City, Bangalore, 15th October 1900
19

No 62/3

From

THE PRESIDENT,

Municipal Commission,

BANGALORE CITY.

Rent 90-00-

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE,

General and Revenue Departments,

BANGALORE.

Sir,

Adverting to letter no 1570/609 dated the 23rd July 1900 from the Superintending Engineer, Sanitary works, (a copy of which is herein enclosed) requesting that steps may be taken to raise a loan to carry out certain works in connection with the Sewage, drainage and other improvements required in the Bangalore City, I have the honor to state that the Board having accepted the suggestions of the Sub-Committee to whom the question of raising a loan of 2 lakhs of rupees had been referred

resolved

resolved at the meeting held on the 27th September 1900, that the said loan be raised if the Government kindly agreed to relieve the Municipality temporarily of the marginally noted medical and educational charges. Copies of the Sub-Committee's report and the Resolution of the Board are herewith Submitted for the information of Government. As the present financial position of the Municipality is not such as to guarrantee a saving sufficient to Cover the payment of interest on the loan that may be raised, I Submit the recommendation of the Board for the favorable consideration of Government

Maternity Charges :- Rs 6666 for a year
Allowance to St. Martha Hospital @ 200 Rs a month, 240.
2/3 Cost of the Dispensaries in the City Rs 2819/-
All Educational Charges. Rs 11762
Total Rs 23647

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
[illegible]
President

WSK

Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of the 27th September 1900

* * *

~~12~~ 9. Consideration of the report of the Sub-Committee appointed to ~~consider~~ suggest what savings may be effected in the Municipal expenditure in view to ~~the~~ proposed levy a loan of 2 lakhs of rupees to meet the cost of sewage, drainage and other necessary works in the City.

Dr Chalsi proposed and Mr Ranga Rao seconded that the proposed loan be raised and the Government be requested to relieve the Municipality of the Medical and the Educational Charges noted in the margin to enable it to pay the interest on the loan and meet the sinking fund.

But Mr. Krishna Murti Rao proposed an amendment and Mr. B. Appajiah seconded that the loan be raised on the Condition that the Government kindly agreed temporarily to the said relief

Resolved by a majority

Veterinary Charges - Rs 6666/-
Monthly allowance to Asst Surgeon Rs 100/-
Asst Surgeon Maternity Hospital Rs 100/-
2/3 cost of two other dispensaries Rs 281/-
Dispensary - Rs 117 62.
All Educational Charges - Rs 2,23,647/-

against 3 that the foregoing
be accepted as amended by
Messrs Krishnamachari Rao and
Appajiah.

Sd/ B. K. Venkatavaradachar
President

Copy

Minister Secy
for President

Secy

E. & T. Series.

Report of the Sub-Committee appointed to Consider what Savings are possible in the Municipal Expenditure.

———"———

Present

Vice President

J. Cameron Esqr.

D. A. Chakai Esqr.

D. Venkatramiah Esq

C. Krishna Murti Esqr.

B. Kuppuswamy Naidu Esq

B. Appajappa Esqr.

The members of the Sub-Committee submit the following proposals for the Consideration of the Board:—

1 Whether some savings Cannot be effected by (1) Either (2) Stopping the Presidents' allowance

or (2) doing away with the appointment of the Vice President or (3) abolishing the Collector's post keeping in view the entertainment of a full time Health Officer who will supervise the Sanitation, Conservancy, Registration of Births and Deaths and other Miscellaneous duties.

2. The Municipal Commissioners' orderlies may continue as at present.

3. Government may be requested to relieve the Municipality of the Maternity Charges entirely.

4. To stop the monthly allowance of Rs 200/- now being paid to St. Martha's Hospital.

5. To be relieved of all Educational Charges.

6. To request the Government

Government to Contribute 2/3rd Cost of the other Dispensaries as in the Case of Aralepete Dispensary

If the above proposals are given effect to, a total savings of Rs 25447/- may be anticipated

Deducting out of the above sum Rs 6500/- being the amount of Contributions towards Maternity and income from School fees, the net savings will be Rs 18947/- and the Municipality then be in a position to raise a loan of two lakh of rupees for special improvements now in view.

Maternity ——— " 6666/-
Education ——— " 11,672/-
2/3 Share of Contributions — 2879/-
towards Dispensaries " 25447/-

s/ D. Venkatramiah
s/ C. Krishna Murti
s/ B. Appajappa
s/ B. Kuppuswami Rao
s/ J Cameron
s/ D a Chokki

10 September 1900

Copy
Municipal Office
For President

Ex. to Govt

1900

FROM The Superintg Sanitary Engineer with the Govt of Mysore

To The President Mumpl. Comm

Dated Bangalore City

Despatched 23rd July 1900

Received

General No. 1570

No. 609

Enclosure No.

Sir

Referring to Govt Proceedings No. 1110 P.W.D. of 28/11/99 authorizing the Municipality to raise loans for sewage, drainage and other Municipal works required to be carried out in the Bangalore City, I have the honor to inform you that Estimates for the following items have

been submitted by me to Government:—

I	Sewerage with stone ware pipes of the Bangalore City	7,20,457
II	Drainage of the Western Extension or Chamarajendrapet	1,48,911
III	Improving the present System of drains in the City	80000
	* Note.— This is the Cost as per revised estimate if stone ware pipes are used. If Cement pipes are used the Cost will amount to Rs.	
IV	Regrading and resectioning the Main drain	34,500
V	Diverting Sewage from the present open Main drain into a Covered drain	55,657
VI	Establishment of Sewage Farms (Remunerative work)	25,725
	Total Cost of Sewage Works	10,64,500
VII	Opening out roads and lanes through Congested parts and improving the Sanitation of the City	1,25000

VIII Improving the old Thargupete ——— 41,700

IX Extending Great Sri-
-nivasacharlu Street
to north up to Kilari
Dharmarayan Street — 12,500

Total Cost of Public Im-
-provements - 1,79,200

Add:—

X Opening out Conser-
-vancy lanes in the City
Approximate Cost of
Scheme under prepara-
-tion by the Municipality 50,000

Grand Total Rs 12,93,700

Item I being very large the work may be deferred for some time and the remaining works be taken up one or two at a time in the order of their urgency as the Board may decide.

3 The Expenditure on opening out roads and lanes in the City (Item VII)

(Item VII) up to 30th June 1900 amounts
to Rs 7,40,524 and this work should
therefore be the first to be carried
to Completion. The improvement
of the old Thanjapete is the next
in the order of urgency and the
Drainage of Chamarajendra apete
comes third. These 3 amount to
Rs 2,63,927, two lacs of which
could be spent in this official
Year and the balance should
therefore form the amount of the
loan to be raised at present

I have &c

Sd/ Frederick Lee

Superintending Engineer

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Municipal Dewan

for President

MDK

Read
Letter No 62 dy 15th
Oct 1900 from the
Mgt of the M. & M. Rly,
Bangalore City, ~~requesting~~
forwarding copy of the Bd's
resolution praying to be
relieved of certain charges
as their present financial position is
not such as to guarantee a sum
sufficient to cover interest on a loan
of 2 lakhs proposed to be raised by
them.

11 L / Rent 90-00
Maint
12/11/1
Mrs

[Issue in Comm' file and
put up a copy in St. Martha
Hospital file] Dy 12/11/00

attended to
the 3/11/00
from Bangalore.
Dr 10788 9.1.01 L218

1. Alloc. cathl charges ... Rs 11,762.
2. Maternity charges ... Rs 6,666.
3. ~~Monthly~~ for Cant-ni aid at Rs 200 per annum & St. Martha's Hospital } Rs 2,400
4. 2/3 cost of the dispensary in the City ... } Rs 2,819.

Order thereon No 6666-78 / L7-43-78 dy 13/11/00

The Munl Commrs of the
Bangalore City request to be
relieved of the marginally
noted charges in order to enable
them to pay interest on a loan
of 2 lakhs of rupees proposed to
be raised for certain municipal
improvements.

2. As regards the first two
items, it is observed that these
were charges transferred to the
Board in lieu of the Police
charges which were borne
by them till 1883 : vide
order No 918-22 dy 26 May 1883.

And as regards item no 3,
it was directed in Govt. Order
Camp No 220-32 dy 26th Nov
1892 that the municipal
grant-in-aid of Rs 200 per
mensem to the Rathas Hospital
should be continued, subject to
conditions therein specified,
as though the reduction of a
Hospital by Govt and of smaller
dispensaries was
not contemplated at the time
as sufficient reason for withdrawing
the grant-in-aid.

9. Under these circumstances
the Govt desire to have a full and
more satisfactory statement
of the grounds on which the Board
ask to be relieved of the charges in
question.

4. As regards the remaining item
of the request to be relieved
of the charge of the dispensaries
in the ~~city~~, the Govt
is requested to place the matter
before the Dt Board and ascertain
whether they are willing to bear
the charge of the dispensaries
in question in case
the Allepey Dispensary

5. ~~The~~ ~~letter~~ ~~of~~ ~~re~~ ~~the~~ explanatory ~~memorandum~~ called for in para 3, the Senior Surgeon will be asked to furnish information as to the present cost of the St. Martha's Hospital under the main heads, the no. of patients now treated thereat compared with the number treated before a separate Hospital was opened.

15293 dtd 11/11/1902

To The Chief M., Metl Commr, Bombay
" Dr. T. B., Bombay
" The Senior Surgeon Bombay

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FROM The President of the
District Fund Board
Bangalore District

To The Secretary to the
Government of Mysore
Revenue Department

Dated

Despatched 9th 3 January 1901
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Received

General No.

Rent. 90-00-3

No. 107

Enclosure No. one

Government Proceedings No. :
6616-18
2743-98 of the 13th November 1900

States that District Funds cannot be charged with any portion of the cost of maintaining the municipal dispensaries in Bangalore City

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A. S Chan
Dy 11/1

D. No 1078 / 01 Office of the President
District Fund Board
Bangalore District
Dated, Bangalore 9th January 1901.

To

The Secretary to the
Government of Mysore
Revenue and Jeneral Departments

Sir,

With reference to paras 3 and 4 of Government Proceedings No: 6616-18 / L.F. 43-98 dated the 13th November 1900, on the question of the District Fund Board bearing two thirds of the charge of all the Dispensaries in the Bangalore city I beg to state that the matter was placed before the board on the 17th of December 1900 and it was decided that the District Funds cannot be properly charged with any portion of the cost of maintaining the municipal Dispensaries in the Bangalore city, and that the board should therefore request

request Government to relieve them
from the payment of its share of main-
taining the Arakeri Dispensary

2. Copy of para 1 of the board's re-
solution on the subject is herein
enclosed for reference

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant

K Ramaswamy
President, District Fund Board
Bangalore District

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Extract from the

Proceedings of the meeting of the District Fund Board of the Bangalore Local Circle held on the 15th December 1900

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(1) Government Proceedings No. 6616 dated the 13th November 1900, requesting the opinion of the Board to bear the 2/3rd cost of all the dispensaries in the City as in the case of Arlepet Dispensary

The Board are of opinion that the District Funds cannot be properly charged with any portion of the cost of maintaining the municipal Dispensaries in the Bangalore City, and they resolve to request Government to relieve them from the payment of 2/3rds cost of maintaining the Arlepet Dispensary

(Sd) K.P. Puttanna Chetty
President of the District Fund Board
Bangalore District

Extract

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President of the
District Fund Board
Bangalore District

OFFICE OF THE
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To

The Secretary to Govt
Genl + Rev: Depts
Bangalore

Dated

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General No.

No.

Enclosure No. 1

Plant. 9c-00-4

Forwarding a statement giving the necessary information in connection with the St. Martha's Hospital Bangalore with his remarks thereon.

L. F B. 43-98.

... 20-2-01 ... 25/2/01

From

The Senior Surgeon and Sanitary Commissioner
with the Government of Mysore
Bangalore.

To. Recd.

The Secretary to Government
General and Revenue Departments
Bangalore

No. 3584

Dated 18/. February 1901.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of Govern Proceedings with order thereon No.6616-18/L.F.43-98 dated 13t November 1900 calling upon me for certain information in connd tion with St.Marthas Hospital, I have now the honor to forwa a statement received from the Lady Superior of St.Marthas Hosl tal giving the necessary information .

From this statement it will be observed whilst the No in-patients have remained much the same since 1893-94, the out-patients have more than doubled itself. But the most mar ature in the statement is the increase in expenditure, espe ally in the past year. The total expenditure for 1899-1900 put down as Rs 21,210/15/6 against Rs 13725.2.6 for 1898-1899 or increase of Rs 7486.13

This increase is almost entirely under the head of d: the figures for the two years being as follows:-

1898.....1899 Rs 6693.12,

1899.....1900 Rs 12,162.15.6

or an increase of Rs 5469.3.6. The Noofin-patients for ~~the~~ are required was:-

1898.....1899 = 1862

1899.....1900 = 1891

or a small increase of 29. So that 29 patients ex a difference of Rs 5469.3 6 which to say the least is

I have the honor to
Sir,
Your most obedient s

Surgeon and Sanitary C

Secretary

President

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OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL COMMISSION,
City Bangalore, 6th March 1901

No. 157/2

From

The President, Municipal Commission,

Bangalore City.

To

The The Secretary to the
Government of Mysore
General & Revenue Depts
Bangalore.

SIR, Rent 93-1-2

With reference to para 3 of the Government order No. 6616-18 / LJ43-98 dated the 13th February 1901, calling for a full statement of the grounds on which the Bangalore City Municipal Commission asks to be relieved of certain items of charge, I have the honor to submit herewith a copy of the report of the Sub-Committee appointed by the Board and of the resolution of the Board thereon dated the 28th February 1901.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedt. Servant

President

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Extract from the Proceedings of the Board dated 28th February 1901

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11. Report of the Sub-Committee appointed to consider the grounds on which the Board sk to be relieved of certain items of charges to enable them to pay interest on a loan of two lakhs of rupees proposed to be raised for certain works of improvement in the City.

Resolved that the report of the Sub-Committee be adopted and submitted to Government

s/- B. K. Venkatavandeyar
President

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President

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The Sub-Committee appointed by the Board in their resolution dated 30th November 1900 beg to make the following report re Charges to be relieved:—

Although the Municipal limits were not extended till recently, the Board were still unable to undertake works of any importance from the year 1870. The Current revenues were found to be hardly sufficient to meet the growing expenditure. The Board in their meeting of the 21st of February 1872 Submitted that as it is now shown that the entire Cost of the Police is a most serious burden on the resources of the Municipality

amounting as this charge now does to fully two-fifths of the total yearly income of the Board, the Chief Commissioner be addressed on the subject with a view to the Municipality being relieved from a portion of this charge and further, that Col. Meade be solicited to make over to the Board the proceeds arising from the sale of liquor licenses permission to make use of which as a source of Municipal Revenue has been provided for in section 34 of the Regulations. The Chief Commissioner was pleased to make over the income derived from this source to the Board but he would not interfere with Police

Charges. At that time it was undoubtedly a liberal grant but still the expenses were enormous. The question was being passed from time to time till Government passed proceedings No. 919-22-67 dated 26th May 1883 which relieved the Municipality of the Cost of the Town Police which amounted to Rs 26,578/- for annum.

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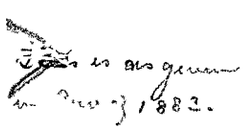

The new institutions handed over to the Municipality in pursuance of the said order were (1) Medical Charity, (2) Other local Charities and (3) Educational grants-in-aid, the Cost of which amounted to Rs 17811/- The land revenue within Municipal limits then

This was given up from 1883

yielded Rs 12415/. The expenditure on the above mentioned items have since increased enormously while the income on the land revenue have dwindled down. The estimate of expenditure for the year 1900-1901 under the 6th head viz/ Health Department &c, amounted to Rs 14952/- under the 9th head viz/ Charitable grants Rs 31,697/ and under the 10th head viz/ Education Rs 12026/. Which has again increased. These 3 items if totaled up will now bring the expenditure to the aggregate sum of Rs 58675. Add to these the loss sustained in the shape of Land Revenue viz/

Figure 12415
Deduct 5200
7215
Incorrect?

viz Rs 7215/- because the estimated income under the head in the year 1900-1901 was only Rs 5200/-, whereas it was Rs 12415/- when the order in 1883 was passed. Thus the Board have now to incur an expenditure of Rs 65890/- instead of Rs 17811/- as stated in Government order of 1883. This state of things discloses the fact that the increase in the expenditure under these heads has been (Rs 48079/-) 40864

The estimated income was only Rs 5200/-

This is incorrect. The figure represents the aggregate sum which the City should have set apart out of Land revenue for some charitable purposes during the years 1876-77 to 1882-83 under late Govt Order No 236-38/14 of 18/4/79

876-76 } Rs
877-78 } 2915-
878-79 }
882-83 } 9500
years at
Rs 1900 a yr
Total Rs 12415

Rs 86795-
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Besides the roads have increased enormously in extent and the City has been extended on all sides. All this has necessitated an annual expenditure. The taxes during the past two years

viz a water rate of 3 per cent and a lighting rate of 1 per cent and Octroi duties on fresh articles has very nearly doubled the incidents of taxation which prevailed before. Having these things in view, the Board in their resolution dated 27th September 1900 submitted that they may be relieved of (1) the monthly allowance of -- St. Marthas (2) the Maternity Charges and (3) Educational Charges.

(Sd) D. Venkatramaiah
(Sd) C. Krishna Rao
(Sd) D. A. Chotai
(Sd) B. Appajiah

Bangalore
19th June 1901.

Copy.

Secretary

President.

To

The President,
Mun[l] Commission
Bangalore City.

Sir,

Correspondence ending with letter no. 151 dated the 6th March 1901 in regard to certain reliefs applied for by the Board.

Also the Presidents' Communications nos. 142 & 205 of the 22nd Feb[y] and 16th May 01 in regard to the funds required for the City drainage scheme and for opening out congested parts of the City.

With reference to the above has the honour to request that the President

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L.7.228-92

[A copy to be kept in the drainage scheme file]

attended to
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8/8/01.
Vide L.7.92-97

will be good enough to report
whether the St. Martha's Hos.
itals has broken any of
the conditions Specified in
Govt. Progs: No. C. 228-32 of
the 26th Novr. 1892, & 2. Why
whether the Board should not
& least try to raise the
whole sum required for dramatic & other works in
open market. and 3. whether
the allowance of Rs 100/- to the
Oculist attached to the St. Martha's
is still continued

"By order"

JB
8/8/1901
For Secty
Engr 7/8/01

Rsvd 8/01 ah 2 P.M.

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OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL COMMISSION,

No. 7-

City Bangalore, 5" September 1901
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From

The President, Municipal Commission,

Bangalore City.

Dept. 9i-3-7

To The Secretary to the
Government of Mysore
General & Revenue Departt
Bangalore

SIR,

With reference to your Docket
No. 2514
L.F. 225-92 dated the 10th August 1901,
I have the honor to submit here-
with a copy of the Board's reso-
lution dated the 30th August last
and to state that the result of
the Sub-Committee's report refer-
red to therein regarding the
St Marthas' Hospital will be
submitted in due Course.

I have the honor to
Sir
Your most obedt Servt

President

Extract

Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of 30th August 1901.

12. Read Docket No. 2514—L. F. 225-92, dated the 10th August 1901, from the Secretary to the Government of Mysore in the General and Revenue Departments, calling for a report (1) whether St. Martha's Hospital has broken any of the conditions specified in Government Proceedings No. C. 228—32, dated the 26th November 1892, and (2) why the Board should not try to raise the whole sum required for drainage and other works in open market.

Resolved that the point raised above be referred to a Committee consisting of the following members for report:—

W. Cameron
" Venkatramiah
" Gangiah.

Resolved also that a reply be sent to Government to the effect that the Board are willing to raise a sum of Rs 350000/- in the open market if they are relieved of the Medical and Education Charges to the extent of Rs 23647/- and the President be requested

to explain the reasons for
which this relief is asked for

s/ M.S. Narayana Rao
President

Copy.

Messenger HL
President

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Office of the Municipal Commission,

City, Bangalore, 11th September 1901.
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No 85

From

THE PRESIDENT,

Municipal Commission,

BANGALORE CITY.

To Dept 9

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE,

General and Revenue Departments,

BANGALORE.

Sir,

In Continuation of this Office letter No 72 dated the 5th Instant and in reference to clause 2 of Your docket No: 25-14 / L7225-92 dated the 10th August 1901 enquiring why the Board should not borrow to raise the whole sum required for drainage and other works in open market, I have the honor to state that the Board at the meeting of the 30th August last

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Expressed their willingness to raise a loan of Rs 3,50,000/- in the open market required for certain Works of an urgent nature, in Case the Government were pleased to relieve the Municipality of the Medical and Educational Charges Amounting to Rs 23,647/- as already reported in this Office No. 62 dated. 15th/19 October 1900. — An extract from the Board's Resolution is herewith Submitted for the favorable Consideration of Government.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Most Obedient Servant

Municipality

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Extract from the Proceedings of an Ordinary Meeting of the Municipal Commrs of the Bangalore City held on 30th August 1901

12. Docket No. 2514—L. F. 5-92, dated the 10th August 1901, from the Secretary to the Government of Mysore in the Penal and Revenue Departments, calling for a report (1) whether St Martha's Hospital has taken any of the conditions specified in Government Proceedings No. C. 228—32, dated the 26th November 1892, and (2) why the Board should not try to raise the whole sum required for drainage and other works in open market.

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Resolved that the 1st point raised above be referred to a Committee consisting of the following members for report.

Mr Cameron

" Venkata Ramappa

" Gangiah

Resolved also that a reply be sent to Government to the effect that the Board are willing to raise a sum of 3,50,000 in the open market

if they are relieved of the
Medical Educational Charges

to the extent of Rs 23647, and
the President be requested to
explain the reasons for
which this relief is asked for

Sd M. S Narayana Rau

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President.

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Office of the Municipal Commission

City, Bangalore, 9th December 1901

No. 194

From

THE PRESIDENT,

Municipal Commission,

BANGALORE CITY.

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE,

General and Revenue Departments,

BANGALORE.

Sir,

With reference to your docket No. 7645 / Z.7 225/92 dated the 18th November 1901 and reminder No. 8531/2 / Z.7 225-8/2 dated the 9th December 1901 calling for the report of the Sub-Committee regarding the St Marthas Hospital, I have the honour to state that the consideration of the Committee's report by the Board has been deferred to the current months' meeting which will be held on the 19th instant, after which date it will be

Submitted with the Board's recommendation thereon.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedt servant

Wm Tecumseh Sherman
Lt Genl
For President.

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Office of the Municipal Commission,

City, Bangalore, 4th January 1902.

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From

THE PRESIDENT,

Municipal Commission,

BANGALORE CITY.

To Read 9-01-02

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE,

General and Revenue Departments,

BANGALORE.

Sir,

As called for in your Docket No. 7645 / L.F. 225-92 dated the 18th November 1901, I have the honor to submit a Copy of the Sub-Committee's report regarding the St. Marthas' Hospital together with the Board's resolution thereon dated the 19th December 1901 approving of the Committee's proposal regarding the inability of the Municipality to further Continue the grant and praying for the same being met in future

from

from the Provincial Funds.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obt Servant

Mesne Assiniboia
President

Re-Grant to St. Martha's Hospital

With the assistance of the Revd. Lady Superior, we were able to see the working of the Hospital on Monday the 23rd. Ultimo. We were much impressed with the — earnestness with which the work was being done in the Institution. The average attendance in the Hospital ranges between 200 and 300 a day. The several Wards for in-patients were almost full and in some instances we found that there were more patients than the Wards could accomodate. We are of opinion that it is fair that the Grant should be continued to the Institution. As the finances of the Municipality are not in a flourishing condition, the Govt. may be pleased to continue the Grant from Provincial Funds. The question

Therefore has to be decided along with the other question about the relief of the Charitable, Medical and Educational Charges. We herewith send the Copies of the Returns which the Hospital furnished to the Senior Surgeon last year.

The Conditions imposed by Govt. in Proceedings Camp No. 228-32 dated Mysore 26th November 1892 were the following:-

1 Medical relief shall be given to all who seek for it without distinction of Caste or Creed and throughout the day

2. Periodical, Statistical and other returns as may be prescribed by the Senior Surgeon shall be furnished.

3. The Institution shall be opened to periodical inspection of medical and other Officers of the Mysore Government who may be appointed for the purpose.

4. The Medical relief afforded shall be efficient including treatment of diseases of the Eye by a Specialist — admission thereto being on purely non — religious and non-Sectarian basis etc

With regard to these Conditions it is to be regretted that no provision seems to have been made for periodical inspections as prescribed in Govt Order. So this Condition has become practically a dead letter. It is not the fault of the Managers of the Institution that such a state of things prevailed till now. In the absence of definite orders on the Subject, the affairs Continued without the Condition being fulfilled.

With regard to Condition 2, the returns, we learn, are Submitted to the Senior

Surgeon. The Board may, if necessary, ask for Copies of the same being sent.

Other Conditions viz: 1 & 4 are being adhered to

(Sd). B. Gangiah

(Sd). D. Venkata Ramayya

Bangalore 2nd October 1901 } (Sd). J. Cameron

Members of the Sub-Committee

Copy

Assistant

President

MRC

Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of the 19th December 1901.

* * *

7. Report of the Sub-Committee regarding St. Martha's Hospital.

Resolved that as the institution is, according to the Sub-Committees report, doing Excellent work, the Grant-in-aid to it should be Continued, but as the Municipality is unable to bear the Charges Government be asked to relieve it of those Charges.

(Sd) M.S. Narayana Rao
President.

"Copy"

Municipality
President

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OFFICE OF THE 10136 1 FEB 02

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FROM

SENR. SURGEON & CIP. No. 4034 DATE 1.2.02 BANGALORE

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To

H. V. Nanjundayya Esqr
M. A, M. L.
Secy: to Govt
Genl & Rev: Depts
Bangalore

Dated

Despatched

Received

General No.

No.

Enclosure No. 1.

Offering opinion re the Continuance of the Grant-in-aid towards the St Martha's Hospital Bangalore City.

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From

Lt.Col. Percy H. Benson M.B, I.M.S,

Senior Surgeon and Sanitary Commissioner

with the Government of Mysore, Bangalore

To

H.V. Nanjundayya Esq. M.A, M.L,

Secretary to the Government of Mysore

General and Revenue Departments, Bangalore

No 4034

Dated 1st February 1902

Sir,

With reference to your No.3297/L.R-118-96 of 3rd August 1901, I have now the honor to forward herewith a letter received from the Lady Superior St: Martha's Hospital in reply to my No.3100 dated 2.11.01 in which she says that the present Medical Officer has spent one year in England qualifying as a Specialist in the diseases of the eye and has returned with the required certificates and diplomas. Mr. Vieyra the Medical Officer went home for a year during which time he took degrees in Medicine and Surgery, consequently the whole year could not have been spent in studying diseases of the eye.

I have already expressed my opinion very strongly regarding the continuance of the allowance of Rs.100/- per mensem to St: Martha's Hospital for an opthalmic ward under the supervision of a Specialist granted in Govt: Progs: No.228-32 dated I see no reason whatever to alter my opinion. At present Government are paying the Lady Superior Rs.100/- per mensem as a grant-in-aid to St: Martha's Hospital, 100/- per mensem for an Eye Infirmary under a Specialist, in addition to this the Lady Superior gets a grant-in-aid of Rs.200/- from the Municipal Funds making in all Rs.400/- per mensem. These allowances were granted at a time when there was practically no suitable Hospital or Eye Infirmary in the pettah belonging to Government, but now that Government have built a magnificent hospital within the city and have moreover a well equipped Eye Infirmary in close

proximity

If to be obligingly returned with other papers

proximity to St: Marth's, it appears to me to be very questionable whether these allowances should be continued.

The Lady Superior has up to date drawn on account of the ophthalmic ward in St: Marth's Hospital a sum of Rs.11,000 which to say the least speaks very highly of the liberality of the Durbar.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant

Lt.Col.I.M.S.

Senior Surgeon and Sanitary Commissioner

Mysore Government.

From

The Lady Superior
in ch:
St Martha's Hospital
Bangalore

To

The Senior Surgeon & Surg: Commissioner,
Mysore Gov^t.,
Bangalore.

With reference to Memo: No: 3100 dated 2nd Dec: 1901 has the honour to state that she does not know what Sir Cornillean's intention may be. In any case everything has been done to comply with the direction expressed in Gov^t Order No: 228-32 dated 26th Nov: 1892 as our present Medical Officer has spent one year in England qualifying as a Specialist in the diseases of the Eye and has returned with the required certificates and diplomas.

10th January 1902

Sr. M. of St. Hyacinth
Lady Superior
of St. Martha's Hospital

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Office of the Municipal Commission,

No. 116

City, Bangalore, October, 28, 1902
November, 3

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From

THE PRESIDENT,

MUNICIPAL COMMISSION,

BANGALORE CITY.

To The Secretary to the
Government of Mysore in the
General & Revenue Depts,

Sir, Bangalore

I have the honor to forwar
herewith a cover addressed to C. Srin
Iyengar Esq; Second Councillor recei
from Rev. Father Tabard, Honorary
Secretary to the Saint-Marthas' Hospi
with his letter of the 18" Instant conta
a memorial praying for the continua
of the monthly grant from the Munic
to the said Hospital at the existing

Rs 200/- and to reduce it to
Rs 100/- as proposed in the Municipal
Budget which is pending before
Government for sanction. I beg also
to submit in original a letter from
Mr. D. Venkata Ramanya, Municipal
Commissioner, proposing to move at the
next meeting of the Board that the
grant to the St. Marthas' Hospital
should not be reduced.

in recommending the proposed reduction
the orders of Government passed in
92, regarding the grant as also
fact that it cannot be reduced
the face of those orders appears
have been apparently lost sight of
Therefore request the continuance
the grant of Rs 200/- for the reasons
stated

stated in the Memorial and the necessary alteration ordered to be made in the Budget.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant

President

Ex. of Time

To,

C. Sreenivasa Iyengar Esqre,

2nd Councillor,

BANGALORE.

Sir,

My attention has been drawn to an article which lately appeared in one of the Bangalore papers. That article discusses the Budget for the current year of the City Municipality and among other things states that a proposal has gone up to the Government of Mysore to reduce the grant to St: Martha's Hospital to Rs:100/- under the plea that the Municipal finances are rather at a low ebb just now.

I hardly think that in the face of Government Order dated 26th Novr.1892, the Government of Mysore would sanction that reduction. Yet I have thought it advisable to place a few facts before you with a view to show you that under the circumstances a reduction of grant to St: Martha's Hospital would be detrimental to the interests of justice as also of the subjects of His Highness the Maharajah who resort in large numbers to that institution for medical treatment.

As you are doubtlessly aware when the late Lady Superior of the Convent entertained the idea of building a hospital it was her intention to erect it close to the Convent within the limits of the Civil and Military Station. She received much encouragement from the then British Resident although the Bowring Hospital was already administering to the wants of the locality.

The City Municipality, however, recognising the advantage, made a special request that the Hospital might be built within the limits of the City. So pressing and urgent a need was a hospital there that the Municipality with commendable solicitude for the suffering poor came forward, and not only contributed Rs:5000/- towards its construction and Rs:200/- monthly towards maintenance, but made a special ap-

Yours very sincerely,

P. Mc Donnell.

The Very Rev. Father Major,

peal to Government to sanction a Grant-in-aid of Rs:5000/- from the District and Rs:5000/- from the State funds. (Vide Resolution, Municipal Council, 30th Oct.1883.)

The late Reverend Mother having no other wish but that the Hospital should do the greatest good to the greatest number, consented to build it in the City where it was most needed, and the Municipality has, during the many years that the Hospital been in existance, been able to discharge its duty towards the suffering poor at the very cheap rate of Rs:200/ per mensem.

The Hospital was opened in 1885 but in 1887 the Pettah Hospital and dispensary was closed and the two institutions amalgamated by the medical staff being transferred to St: Martha's.

By Government Order, dated 26th Nov.1892, the Institutions were restored to the " Statu quo ante," where it was plainly stated that the Municipal Grant-in-aid of Rs:200/- per mensem to St: Martha's Hospital should be continued subject to certain conditions therein specified even subsequent to the opening of a separate hospital by Government and of smaller dispensaries. This Order has been confirmed by another Government Order, dated Bangalore, 15th Nov.1900. Sometime last year a Sub-Committee was appointed by the Municipality to enquire whether those conditions had been adhered to by the authorities of St: Martha's and on the favourable report of the Sub-Committee at a meeting of the City Municipality of the 19th Dec.1901, it was resolved that Government might be asked to pay from Provincial funds ; but, as the Institution was doing such excellent work, if the Government refused to pay, the Municipality undertakes to continue the Grant from their own funds. (Vide Proceedings of the City Municipality of Dec. 1901.)

The only pretext which might be invoked for the reduction of the Grant is the opening of the new Victoria Hospital. Yet we beg to represent to you that the opening of the

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new instead of being reduced should rather be increased, if possible. And that the small present Municipal Grant of £ 500\ per annum for the Victoria and St: Martha's Hos ital in the City seems to vindicate themselves and every one will agree that there is room for more beds in the City of Westminster.

Here are the statistics for the last ten years. They or those dispensaries could throw more work on our Hospital.

More calmly in the vicinity of St: Martha's as the closing of the Hospital in the budget, several dispensaries are closed, as it is proposed to add three more so it's quite time. Poor of His Highness's subjects; the more so it's more that St: Martha's has done and is still doing for the excellent institution does not in the least overlap the good that's had power been able to meet and the work done at that vital, therefore, but fills a long-felt want which St: Martha's Hospital has proved to the old City Hospital. The Victoria Hospital means a by the attendance of those who in the neighbourhood City the loss on the register of it: Martha's is more than doubled. The equipment Hospital has been removed to the other end of the small dia nuaries scattered about the better. Now that the City's the majority of the other half reporting to the be. When the instructions ministered to the wants of but half extremities of the City and not side by side as they used to be examined by the Hospitals now being situated at opposite contrary to all expectations, increased it. This anomaly may new hospital, far from lessening the number of patients' pos-

You will allow me now to sum up.

Considering then,

1st. that the St: Martha's Hospital was built in the City at the express request of the Municipality.

2nd. that there is room for it together with the Victoria Hospital as shown by the number of patients attending it after the opening of the new hospital.

3.rd. that none of the conditions set forth in the Government Order of 26th Nov,1892 has been broken.

4th. that Rs: 200/-from Municipal Funds are a very small sum for all the work done at the Hospital.

I beg that you will kindly see that the Municipal Grant of Rs: 200/- be continued according to the provision of Government Order of 26th Nov.1900. In so doing His Highness's Government will command our special gratitude and confer a new boon on His Highness's subjects for whose sole benifit St: Martha's Hospital has been established and is maintained to the present day.

I beg to remain,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Jur. Th. Gabard

Honorary Secretary to

St: Martha's Hospital.

Bangalore,

18th October 1902.

Your most obedient servant

Sir,

I beg to remain,

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Yours.

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To

The President
City Municipality
Bangalore.

Sir,

I regret to observe that the grant to St. Martha's Hospital has been reduced in the preparation of the budget.

As a member of the Committee deputed by the Board, I had the pleasure of visiting the Institute